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SUBJECT: CENTRALIZATION OF UK NATIONAL AND NATO FACILITIES

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1. REFTEL ADVISED THAT THE DPC WOULD CONSIDER THE MILITARY COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATIONS FOR CENTRALIZATION OF THE UK NATIONAL AND NATO FACILITIES FOR OPERATIONAL CONTROL OF MARITIME FORCES AT NORTHWOOD AND THE REORGANIZATION OF SUB-COMMANDS WITHIN ACCHAN AND EASTLANT AREAS UNDER THE SILENCE PROECEDURE WITH A SUSPENSE DATE OF JAN 21. WASHINGTON APPARENTLY DECIDED TO CONCUR WITH SILENCE PROCEDURE.

2. ON JAN 19 AND 20 FOUR NATIONS (BELGIUM, CANADA, THE NETHERLANDS, AND THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY) BROKE THE SILENCE AND ASKED FOR DEFERRAL OF ANY DECISION ON PO/76/153 UNTIL THE MILITARY BUDGET COMMITTEE CAN EXAMINE THE FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS OF THE PROPOSED CHANGES, AS
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3. COMMENT: OPPOSITION TO THE PO IS MORE PROCEDURAL THAN SUBSTANTIVE. THE MBC IS TAKING THIS OPPORTUNITY TO PREVENT EROSION OF ITS MANDATE WHICH CALLS FOR REVIEW OF ANY PROPOSAL THAT MIGHT ULTIMATELY RESULT IN THE EXPENDITURE OF NATO O AND M FUNDS. END COMMENT. STRAUSZ-HUPE

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